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Thursday, September 30, 2021.

Met according to adjournment at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session, with Mr. Garballey of Arlington in the Chair (having been appointed by the Speaker, under authority conferred by Rule 5, to perform the duties of the Chair).

At the request of the Chair (Mr. Garballey), the members and employees joined with him in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Pledge of  
allegiance.

## *Change of Address of a Member.*

A communication was received from Representative Kilcoyne, formerly of Northborough, that her official home town of record had changed (effective immediately) to the town of Clinton.

Representative  
Kilcoyne of  
Clinton.

## *Resolutions.*

The following resolutions (filed with the Clerk) were referred, under Rule 85, to the committee on Rules:

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Gouveia of Acton) congratulating Robert B. Whittlesey on the occasion of his one hundredth birthday; and

Robert  
Whittlesey.

Resolutions (filed by Ms. Tyler of Boston) recognizing the month of September, 2021 as "Sickle Cell Disease" Awareness Month in Massachusetts;

Sickle Cell  
month.

Mr. Galvin of Canton, for the committee on Rules, reported, in each instance, that the resolutions ought to be adopted. Under suspension of the rules, in each instance, on motion of Mr. Wong of Saugus, the resolutions (reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn) were considered forthwith; and they were adopted.

## *Petitions.*

Petitions (deposited with the Clerk previously to five o'clock in the afternoon on Friday, February 19, 2021) were presented and they were severally referred, under Rule 24 and Joint Rule 13, as follows:

By Mr. Connolly of Cambridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4135) of Mike Connolly and others relative to providing for relief for restaurants and bars in response to the COVID-19 pandemic and establishing a special commission (including members of the General Court) to review and evaluate happy hours, so-called, providing for the discounted sale of alcoholic beverages.

Happy  
hour.

By Mr. LeBoeuf of Worcester, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4136) of David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf for legislation to establish greater accessibility in the practice of certain beauty treatments.

Beauty  
treatments,—  
accessibility.

By Mr. McMurtry of Dedham, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4137) of Paul McMurtry relative to telemarketer disclosures.

Telemarketers,—  
disclosures.

Severally to the committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure.	
By Mr. Ultrino of Malden, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4138) of Steven Ultrino and others relative to addressing disparities in achievement and suspensions and expulsions among student subgroups. To the committee on Education.	Students,— suspensions and expulsions.
By Mr. Dooley of Norfolk, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4139) of Shawn Dooley relative to election campaign electronic expense payments.	Campaign expenses.
By Ms. Elugardo of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4140) of Nika C. Elugardo and Lindsay N. Sabadosa for legislation to establish a pilot program relative to furthering voting access for incarcerated persons.	Voting,— incarcerated persons.
By Mrs. Harrington of Groton (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4141) of Guy Alberghini relative to election reform and the posting of certain legislative information on the website of the Executive Branch.	Election reform.
By Ms. Kilcoyne of Clinton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4142) of Meghan Kilcoyne, John J. Cronin and Harriette L. Chandler relative to the election of school committee members in the Berlin-Boylston Regional School District.	Berlin-Boylston Regional School District.
Severally to the committee on Election Laws.	
By Ms. Domb of Amherst, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4143) of Mindy Domb for legislation to transfer the Pesticide Board from the Department of Food and Agriculture to the Department of Environmental Protection.	Pesticide Board.
By Ms. Nguyen of Andover, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4144) of Tram T. Nguyen and others relative to further testing after combined sewage overflow events.	Sewage overflow.
Severally to the committee on Environment, Natural Resources and Agriculture.	
By Mr. Arciero of Westford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4145) of James Arciero and others relative to colon cancer screening.	Colon cancer.
By Mr. Driscoll of Milton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4146) of William J. Driscoll, Jr., relative to healthcare insurance coverage.	Health insurance.
Severally to the committee on Financial Services.	
By Mrs. Harrington of Groton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4147) of Sheila C. Harrington and others relative to the Massachusetts Development Finance Agency and Mount Wachusett Community College providing technical education and economic opportunity for citizens with autism. To the committee on Higher Education.	Autism,— opportunities.
By Representatives Connolly of Cambridge and Sabadosa of Northampton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4148) of Mike Connolly, Lindsay N. Sabadosa and others for legislation to provide rental payments to certain tenants or occupants unable to pay due to the COVID-19 emergency. To the committee on Housing.	COVID-19,— rental payments.
By Ms. Blais of Sunderland, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4149) of Natalie M. Blais and others relative to protecting survivors of domestic abuse from certain litigation.	Domestic abuse,— litigation.
By Representatives Connolly of Cambridge and Lewis of Framingham, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4150) of Mike Connolly, Jack Patrick Lewis and others relative to banning the use of tear gas by law enforcement.	Tear gas,— ban.
By Mrs. Harrington of Groton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4151) of Sheila C. Harrington and Julie Boras for legislation to establish the inalienable right to bodily integrity, free from threat or compulsion to accept any unwanted intervention.	Right to bodily integrity.

By Mr. Holmes of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4152) of Russell E. Holmes relative to providing for protections in the processing of personal data and the free movement of personal data.	Personal data.
By Mr. Kearney of Scituate, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4153) of Patrick Joseph Kearney and David F. DeCoste for legislation to reduce the incidence and sharing of child sexual abuse material.	Child sexual abuse material.
By Mr. LeBoeuf of Worcester, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4154) of David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf and Vanna Howard for legislation to prohibit licensing authorities from barring individuals from professional or occupational licenses because of criminal records.	Licensing,— criminal records.
By Mr. Linsky of Natick, a petition (accompanied by resolve, House, No. 4155) of David Paul Linsky for an investigation by a special commission (including members of the General Court) of the provisions governing durable power of attorney as codified and administered in the Commonwealth.	Power of attorney.
By Mr. Muradian of Grafton (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4156) of Susan Lovejoy relative to abortion.	Abortion.
By Mr. Murray of Milford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4157) of Brian W. Murray relative to property owner liability for personal injuries sustained at quarries.	Quarries,— injuries.
By Mr. Rogers of Cambridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4158) of David M. Rogers relative to opportunities for individuals in the criminal offender record information system.	Criminal offenders.
By Mr. Rogers of Norwood, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4159) of John H. Rogers relative to legislative witness tampering.	Legislative witnesses.
By Ms. Sabadosa of Northampton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4160) of Lindsay N. Sabadosa relative to the disclosure of law enforcement disciplinary records.	Law enforcement,— discipline.
Severally to the committee on the Judiciary.	
By Mr. Connolly of Cambridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4161) of Mike Connolly relative to the employment rights of emergency medical technicians.	EMTS,— rights.
By Mr. DeCoste of Norwell, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4162) of David F. DeCoste and others relative to the verification of employment eligibility of employees through the federal employment authorization e-verify program.	E-verify,— authorization.
By Mrs. Harrington of Groton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4163) of Sheila C. Harrington relative to severance payments.	Severance payments.
Severally to the committee on Labor and Workforce Development.	
By Ms. Miranda of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4164) of Liz Miranda and others relative to expanding access to trauma informed care and mental health first aid training.	Mental health,— first aid training.
By the same member, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4165) of Liz Miranda, Tami L. Gouveia and Russell E. Holmes relative to recovery housing commonly known as sober homes.	Sober homes.
Severally to the committee on Mental Health, Substance Use and Recovery.	
By Ms. Decker of Cambridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4166) of Marjorie C. Decker (with the approval of the city council of the city of Cambridge) relative to authorizing the city of Cambridge to provide police, fire, emergency and other municipal services to certain properties in the city of Somerville and the city of Boston. To the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government.	Cambridge,— municipal services.

By Mr. Muradian of Grafton (by request), a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4167) of Susan Lovejoy relative to smoking in public housing. To the committee on Public Health.	Public housing,— smoking.
By Representatives LeBoeuf of Worcester and Duffy of Holyoke, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4168) of David Henry Argosky LeBoeuf and Patricia A. Duffy relative to establishing and administering a program to assist landlords and lessors with providing fire safety education and fire prevention measures in multi-unit residential properties.	Fire education and prevention.
By Mr. McMurtry of Dedham, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4169) of Paul McMurtry relative to armed private security guard badge information.	Private security guards.
Severally to the committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security.	
By Ms. Domb of Amherst, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4170) of Mindy Domb and others relative to public pension fund divestment from climate risk investments and negative economic impacts from carbon producing industries.	Pension divestment,— carbon.
By Mr. McMurtry of Dedham, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4171) of Paul McMurtry relative to applications for public employee retirement system creditable service buy backs for veterans.	Veterans,— buy backs.
By Mr. Robertson of Tewksbury, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4172) of David Allen Robertson relative to the retirement group for public safety officers, police officers or public safety officials of the Department of Mental Health, Department of Public Health or Department of Developmental Services.	Public safety officers,— retirement.
Severally to the committee on Public Service.	
By Ms. Ciccolo of Lexington, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4173) of Michelle L. Ciccolo and others relative to providing for a transportation excise tax to be paid by certain employers.	Transportation excise,— employers.
By Mr. DeCoste of Norwell, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4174) of David F. DeCoste relative to providing for real estate tax abatements in cases of terrorism or public health emergency.	Real estate,— tax abatements.
By Ms. Kilcoyne of Clinton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4175) of Meghan Kilcoyne and others for legislation to provide for real property tax relief to certain persons over the age of 60 during the COVID-19 pandemic.	COVID-19,— tax relief.
By Mr. Robertson of Tewksbury, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4176) of David Allen Robertson relative to the delivery of property tax bills.	Property tax bills.
By the same member, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4177) of David Allen Robertson and Maria Duaine Robinson for legislation to establish the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority capital projects fund.	MBTA,— capital projects.
By Representatives Robertson of Tewksbury and Vargas of Haverhill, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4178) of David Allen Robertson, Andres X. Vargas and others for legislation to establish a municipal broadband development fund.	Municipal broadband,— fund.
By Mr. Rogers of Cambridge, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4179) of David M. Rogers and Elizabeth A. Malia relative to establishing a tax for online advertising.	Online advertising,— tax.
Severally to the committee on Revenue.	
By Mr. Arciero of Westford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4180) of James Arciero and others for legislation to assure for bidder privacy in certain interviews for public construction contracts.	Public construction,— bidders.
By Ms. Malia of Boston, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4181) of Elizabeth A. Malia relative to authorizing the commissioner of Capital Asset Management and Maintenance to convey a certain parcel of land in the Roxbury section of the city of Boston.	Boston,— land.

By Ms. Robinson of Framingham, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4182) of Maria Duaine Robinson and others relative to the maximum acceptable greenhouse gas emissions for eligible materials used in certain projects. Construction,—  
gas emissions.

Severally to the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

By Mr. Ayers of Quincy, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4183) of Bruce J. Ayers relative to the flight of unmanned aircraft drones in the airspace over early, elementary and secondary educational facilities. Drones,—  
educational  
airspace.

By Mr. DeCoste of Norwell, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4184) of David F. DeCoste and others relative to preventing road rage incidents precipitated by slow or stopped vehicles. Road rage.

Severally to the committee on Transportation.

By Mr. Arciero of Westford, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4185) of James Arciero and Ray Mascola relative to eligibility of non-Massachusetts origin veterans for state veteran bonus awards. Veterans,—  
buy backs.

By Mrs. Harrington of Groton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4186) of Sheila C. Harrington and others relative to providing for a veteran service officer at Clear Path for Veterans New England, Inc. to support veterans and dependents residing in the Devens Regional Enterprise Zone. Devens,—  
veterans  
service officer.

Severally to the committee on Veterans and Federal Affairs.

Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Petitions severally were presented and referred as follows:

By Mr. Durant of Spencer, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4187) of Peter J. Durant and Ryan C. Fattman (by vote of the town) that the town of Dudley be authorized to grant three additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk off the premises in said town. To the committee on Consumer Protection and Professional Licensure. Dudley,—  
liquor  
licenses.

By Mrs. Harrington of Groton, a petition (accompanied by bill, House, No. 4188) of Sheila C. Harrington (by vote of the town) that the town of Pepperell be authorized to convey a certain parcel of town owned land to the Commonwealth. To the committee on Municipalities and Regional Government. Pepperell,—  
land.

Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Petitions severally were presented and referred as follows:

By Mr. Lewis of Framingham (by request), a petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of David Blais relative to information sharing among nonprofit service providers. Information  
sharing.

By Representative Pignatelli of Lenox and Senator Hinds, a joint petition (subject to Joint Rule 12) of Smitty Pignatelli and Adam G. Hinds relative to authorizing the transfer of certain land in the towns of Lee and Lenox to Edith Wharton Restoration, Inc. Lee and  
Lenox,—  
land.

Severally, under Rule 24, to the committee on Rules.

#### *Papers from the Senate.*

A message from His Excellency the Governor recommending legislation to support military families (Senate, No. 2542), was referred, in concurrence, to the committee on Veterans and Federal Affairs. Military,—  
family  
support.

A Bill authorizing the town of Middleborough to lease a certain parcel of land to the town of Plympton (Senate, No. 1353) (on a petition) [Local Approval Received], Middleborough,—  
land.

passed to be engrossed by the Senate, was read; and it was referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling

A petition (accompanied by bill) of Joan B. Lovely and Jeffrey N. Roy for legislation to promote American manufacturing, came from the Senate referred, under suspension of Joint Rule 12, to the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

Manufacturing.

The House then concurred with the Senate in the suspension of said rule; and the petition (accompanied by bill, Senate, No. 2546) was referred, in concurrence, to the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

### *Reports of Committees.*

By Mr. Galvin of Canton, for the committee on Rules and the committees on Rules of the two branches, acting concurrently, that Joint Rule 12 be suspended on the following petitions:

Petition (accompanied by bill) of Denise C. Garlick relative to establishing an interscholastic athletic competition working group. To the committee on Education.

Interscholastic athletics.

Petition (accompanied by resolutions) of Natalie M. Blais, Mindy Domb and others for the annual issuance of a proclamation by the Governor designating the first Monday in March as COVID-19 remembrance day. To the committee on State Administration and Regulatory Oversight.

COVID-19 remembrance day.

Under suspension of the rules, on motion of Mr. Wong of Saugus, the reports were considered forthwith. Joint Rule 12 then was suspended, in each instance. Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

### *Orders of the Day.*

#### House bills

To allow the town of Andover to transfer conservation land (House, No. 2193); Amending the charter of the town of Hudson (House, No. 3920); and

Third reading bills.

Designating the Department of Unemployment Assistance building in the city of Brockton as the C. Gerald Lucey building (House, No. 4024);

Severally reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn, were read a third time; and they were passed to be engrossed. Severally sent to the Senate for concurrence.

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The House Bill granting 4 additional liquor licenses for the sale of wines and malt beverages to be drunk on the premises in Concord (House, No. 3712) (its title having been changed by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading), reported by said committee to be correctly drawn, was read a third time.

Concord,—liquor licenses.

Pending the question on passing the bill to be engrossed, Ms. Garlick of Needham moved to amend it in section 1, in lines 7 and 8, by striking out the sentence contained in those lines.

The amendment was adopted; and the bill (House, No. 3712, amended) was passed to be engrossed. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

*Order.*

On motion of Mr. Mariano of Quincy,—

*Ordered,* That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet on Monday next at eleven o'clock A.M.

Next  
sitting.

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At nine minutes after eleven o'clock A.M., on motion of Mr. Wong of Saugus (Mr. Garballey of Arlington being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following Monday at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session.